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Mrs. C. A. Terrazas,
P. O. Box 575,
Las Cruces, N. Mex.

Dear Mrs. Terrazas:

It is the happiness it brings to those who go with us which gives us our greatest reward when we consider conducting another of our Pilgrimages to the Holy Land.

Such an experience, often measured in advance in terms of what it is going to cost, becomes later one never to be forgotten - an adventure in travel, companionship and spirituality which lingers in memory throughout the remainder of life. If it were possible for you to measure in dollars and cents the deep gratification and lingering living memories of those sacred places where Our Lord walked upon earth, you would not part with the experience for many, many times its moderate initial cost.

Couldn't you arrange your affairs so that you could join us on our next tour starting April 11th? We believe we are urging you to do something that will cause you to be grateful to us throughout your whole life.

The Pilgrimage is under Catholic auspices, but those of all faiths are welcome and are made to feel perfectly at home. From a purely historical standpoint the Holy Land is a place, which due to our eagerness to learn, everyone should see.

The date of departure is drawing near, but you still have time. We will assist you in obtaining passport visas for the various countries to be visited. And, incidentally, don't worry about bringing a large wardrobe. This is to be a comfortable, leisurely trip - one without the usual formalities requiring constant thought to personal attire.

Tell us you will be with us. If you have misplaced the illustrated booklet describing the trip, wire us at our expense and another copy will go forward to you by the first outgoing mail.

Cordially yours,

COMMISSARIAT OF THE HOLY LAND

Fr. Bernardin, O.F.M.
(Pilgrimage Department)